Gardner

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Bus Lines: 64 and Light Rail

### **Community Center** 520 W. Virginia St., San José, CA 95125 Phone: 408-277-4761 Fax: 408-277-4640 **Supervisor:** Tony Torres

Types of Programs: Senior nutrition and youth programs.

## Fair Youth Center

1702 McLaughlin Ave., San José, 95122 Located on the campus of J. W. Fair Middle School

Fax: 408.971.3715

Supervisor: Carolyn Johnson

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Types of Programs: Recreation, special events, trips for youth 12 to

17 years old.

#### Monday-Friday - 2:30-7pm

Drop-in recreation for youth 12 to 17 years old. Activities include: Pingpong, pool tables, foosball, tournaments, sports, games, crafts, field trips and more. Each participant must have a parent signed permission slip on file the first day of participation.

#### **Arts and Crafts**

Free

Come and express your creative side with paint, paper, glue, etc.

Instructor: Staff

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
249.2.821	T	10/5-11/23	4pm	12-17	8	FY

#### **Community Beautification**

Free

We have twenty trees that "Our City Forrest" donated. We water, prune, and do other maintenance to help the trees grow big and strong.

No Class 10/11				-	Instructor: Staff		
Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.	
249.2.822	M/W/F	10/4-11/24	4pm	12-17	23	FY	

#### Free Soccer

This sport is for junior high youth only. Participants play four weeks in a non-competitive and fun league.

No Class 10/11				Inst	Instructor: Stafj		
Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age N	/ltg. Loc.		
249.2.825	M/W	10/4-11/24	2-3pm	11-13	16 FY		

#### **Youth Council** Free

Open to all youth who live in Council District 7 area. Members learn valuable leadership and event planning skills while they plan, organize, and run events for youth.

Instructor: Staff

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
249.2.824	F	10/29	4pm	12-17	2	FY
249.2.824	F	11/19	4pm	12-17	2	FY

# Don't Miss Out!

Register early because a class may be cancelled if it does not meet the minimum enrollment.

# **DROP-IN** YOUTH PROGRAMS

#### Gardner Youth Program 11-17 Years Old Free

The Youth Program is open Monday – Friday from 3-7 pm. The Drop-in Program offers the following

• Pool table

- BIG screen T.V.
- Ping Pong table
- Bingo • Field Trips
- Air Hockey table
- Arts and Crafts
- Play Station 2
- Tournaments in all of the above. There are prizes given to the winners.

#### Girl's Club

Join the Gardner Center Girls Club to learn new things and do fun activities such as, arts and crafts, fundraisers, community service, workshops and field trips. The club meetings will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4-6 p.m. The girls will decide what types of services they will provide for the community as well as planning fun activities. The Girls Club is free to join, however, there will be a nominal fee for field trips.

### **Community Service Hours**

If you are a High School Student and want to earn community service hours and have fun at the same time, you can! The services that will be provided by the community service volunteers are as follows: setting up the game room, cleaning the game room, help youth with their homework, help supervise the game room etc.

The Gardner Center also accepts individuals who are 14-18 years of age that are referred by court or sentencing alternatives.

#### Art's & Crafts

Be creative! Each week will feature a new theme in which the children will have fun and use their imagination as they work on a variety of projects such as drawing, water colors, creating sculptures, beading, and much more! Classes are held each Wednesday from 4 -6 p.m.

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# DROP-IN YOUTH PROGRAMS

#### **Gardner Youth Council**

The youth council meets on the last Thursday of the month from 4-5 p.m. The meetings consists of discussing what types of activities individuals would like for their community center to offer to not only the public, but to the youth as well. The youth council group not only provides workshops but it also tackles social issues that the participants feel are important to address. Participants will also learn key skills. For example, leadership skills and planning skills.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

# Gardner Grand Opening Watch for our Grand Opening this Fall!

New classes and activities to be offered. Be on the look out for community fliers! Or call the center for more information.

### **SPORTS & FITNESS**

#### Flag Football

Grades 7-12th

4pm-5:30pm

Practices are held on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. Games are played on Saturday mornings at Biebrach Park.

Cost is free. Call 279-1498 for more information.

# Like to Skate?

The Roosevelt Roller Hockey Rink is sponsored by the City of San José-Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Department Seasonal roller hockey programs are available for boys and girls ages 6-17, and adult leagues for ages 18+. For more information please call the rink at 408-286-0195.



Roosevelt Roller Hockey Rink 199 N. 21st Street • San José, CA 95116

# SAN JOSE AFTER SCHOOL

# Gardner Area

San José After School is a partnership by the City of San José with school districts, community-based organizations, teachers and parents to provide safe, fun and enriching activities for youth after school.

Afterschool programs promote healthy youth development and student learning. This includes homework centers and tutoring, recreation, arts, and enrichment activities, and technology centers. Youth will enjoy safe, fun, and enriching activities at sites located throughout San José.

There are wonderful after school programs in your area. For more information about schools, libraries, and centers offering afterschool programs, please contact 408-998-2223.

#### Types of Programs

**Level 1: Homework Assistance.** Level one sites offer afterschool homework help at many locations in San José.

**Level 2: Safe and Accessible After School Programs.** Level two sites offer integrated recreation and literacy and math enrichment programs.

Level 3: Integrated and Comprehensive approach After School Programs. Level three sites integrate literacy, leadership, education, nutrition, cultural arts and recreation activities.

Sites	Level	Time
Biblioteca Latinoamericana	Level 1	*
Five Wounds School	Level 1	*
Gardner Elementary School	Level 3	2:30-6pm
Lowell Elementary School	Level 3	2:30-6pm
Olinder Elementary School	Level 3	2:30-6pm
Sacred Heart Educational Center	Level 1	*
Sacred Heart Educational Center	Level 1	*
San Jose Family Shelter	Level 1	*
San Jose High Academy	Level 1	*
Washington Elementary School	Level 3	2:30-6pm

\* Homework Assistance offered at individual sites immediately following the end of the school day (approximately 2:30-3:30pm).

